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Dear Sir.

The following amendments and remarks are offered in response to the Examiner's Office Action dated 7/1/2004. They are respectfully submitted as a full and complete response to that Action.

Please amend the above-referenced application as follows:

There are no Amendments to the Specification.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begin on page 2 of this paper.

There are no Amendments to the Drawings.

The **Remarks** begin on page 7.